

between the ages of eighteen and forty-five, shall be liable to work on the public roads and highways of said county, and shall be subject to such laws and regulations, fines and penalties, as, or may be, prescribed by law: *Provided*, any person so liable, upon obtaining from the township board of trustees of the township in which he resides, or the county commissioners of said county, a certificate of exemption, not to exceed one year from the time it is issued, such person shall not be liable to fine or penalty during the time for which such certificate is issued.

Persons liable to  
work on public  
roads

Proviso.

SEC. 2. All laws, and clauses of laws, in conflict with this statute, so far as relates to the county of Clay, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 31st day of January, A. D. 1877.

## CHAPTER LXVI.

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE THE TIMES OF HOLDING THE TERMS OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY, RATIFIED TWELFTH DECEMBER, ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOUR.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact*, That the extra term, directed to be held for Cumberland county, by the act to which this is an amendment, shall be held by the judge residing in the district, unless otherwise directed by the Governor.

Extra term of the  
Superior Court.

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this 31st day of January, A. D. 1877.